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Dear Sir:

Under 37 C.F.R. §1.114, it is respectfully requested that this application be accorded the benefits of Continued Examination. A copy of the Amendment filed May 30, 2007 is attached.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge Deposit Account No. 13-2725 the amount of \$1,860, \$810 of which is enclosed to cover the required fee for a large entity.

Respectfully submitted,

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